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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: R. S. Suthar
SHOICHI IBARAKI, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2862
Application No.: 10/724,691)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 1987
Filed: December 2, 2003)	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, and in response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2008, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: